

Little Indians Boys Newsletter: Week 3: 2026

NCAA (3rd & 4th) Game Recaps

- **Texas vs Oregon:** Game 1 of week 3 started with a defensive battle that ended 6-4 at the half. Game tied at 12 after the 3rd, making for an exciting final quarter! Oregon improves to 3-0 in a close one 18-14. **Zayden Kennedy** led all scorers with 16 pts.
- **Cincy vs North Carolina:** N Carolina came out hot with a 6-0 start in the first 3 minutes and finished with a 10-0 lead after 1 and a 12-0 lead at the half. Someone woke up the sleeping Bearcats as they scored 14 unanswered in the 3rd to take a 14-12 lead led by **Grant Endsley's** 8 pts in the 3rd. It was a battle in the 4th, but UNC was too tough in the led by **Knox Griffo's**.
- **Georgetown vs Purdue:** Tight game for the first 3 quarters. Purdue trailed 13-11 at the half and 18-15 after 3. **Noah Extine** had 8 for the Boilermakers, but **Kasen Jackson's** game high 18 pts proved to be the difference. G'town had 5 players in the scoring column, great work!!!
- **Ohio State vs Notre Dame:** Big matchup: Irish vs Buckeyes to close the morning session. **Kasen Brown** led the Irish with 6 points, while OSU saw 5 players score including an impressive late hoop my **Abi Muddada**. **Tripp Kelley** led all scorers with 17pts as OSU moves to 3-0.

NBA (5th & 6th) Game Recaps

- **Cavs vs Bulls:** Toughly contested out of the gate, 7-2 Cavs after 1. Cleveland stretched the lead to 18-6 at the half behind a big 3-pointer by **Connor Morris**. The Cavs made a total of 4 3's in the game that led to a 31-18 win and improve to 3-0. **Keith Jackson** led all scorers with 13.
- **Celtics vs Warriors:** Celtics came out scorching, building a 10-0 lead early in the 1st **Parker Deeds** had 4 in the 1st. The Warriors battle back with a strong 2nd, 15-10 at the half. Celtics take the win in a true team effort as 7 member of the team scored. **Etzkorn** had 6 for the Warriors.
- **Bucks vs Knicks:** Exciting first half with the big men of the Bucks ruling the boards leading to 16 points off the offensive glass. 20-11 at the half, Bucks. **Larimore** had 9 pts and 10 boards in the first half. **Lennon Walter** came alive in the 2nd half with 6 pts, but **Larimore's** 17 put a stamp on it, 36-20 was the final. Bucks improve to 2-1, while the Knicks are chasing their first win.
- **Thunder vs Lakers:** **Tyler Mayse** came out hot with 4 straight points for the thunder to build a quick lead for the **Diaz'less** Thunder. But the Lakers were hot in the 2nd taking a 12-9 lead at the half. 15-14 at the end of 3, tight! In the end **Kennena Ekuh's** 6 pts, 14 rbs & 4 steals led the way to seal the win for the Thunder who remain undefeated at 3-0



Derek Irons skies to the hoop for a bucket as the Hoyas improve to 3-0 after a stellar performance against the Boilermakers. **Jonathan Coffee** contributed 6 pts for Purdue in the tough loss.



Caiden Triplett dribbles down the court as the Cincinnati Bearcats take on the Tarr Heels of North Carolina. **Grant Endsley** had 10 second half points for the Bearcats in a tough loss.



Cade McGreevy attempts a 3 pointer Saturday against the Bucks. Cade had 6 pts on the day, but Jonny Larimore was too tough under the basket for the Bucks who won 36-20.



Kennena Ekuh and **Peter Henning** jump for the ball in our final game of week 3. Tight game all the way to end. Thunder barely getting by 20-17 to stay undefeated on the season.

Results: Week 3

NBA:		NCAA:	
Cavs (3-0)	31	Texas (0-3)	14
Bulls (1-2)	18	Oregon (3-0)	18
Celtics (1-2)	29	Cincy (0-3)	16
Warriors (1-2)	17	UNC (2-1)	18
Bucks (2-1)	36	G'town (3-0)	32
Knicks (0-3)	20	Purdue (0-3)	21
Thunder (3-0)	20	OSU (3-0)	38
Lakers (1-2)	17	ND (1-2)	14